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Mr. Lester Snow, CALFED Executive Director
CALFED Bay-Delta Program
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Dear Lester:

*It has come to my attention that the City of Redding has submitted a grant application to CALFED entitled the **Clover Creek Flood Protection and Environmental Enhancement Project**. This proposal has my strong support for approval because it has the potential to model what can be done in problem urban watersheds adjacent to high value anadromous habitats. In this case Clover Creek is located just north of Battle and Cow Creeks and across the Sacramento River from Clear Creek.*

This project is compatible with CALFED's overall objectives to improve and increase aquatic and terrestrial habitats and to improve the ecological functions of the Bay-Delta system.

The \$3.8 million grant would be augmented by \$1.1 million in matching funds by way of a three-way partnership that involves the Cities of Redding and Anderson and the County of Shasta. These funds will be used to acquire, restore, and conserve 135 acres as well as provide a detention basin to prevent flooding and filter non-point pollution from adjacent subdivisions. In addition, it will provide for wetlands, riparian habitat, oak woodlands, grassland meadows, and recreational uses.

It is my hope that you will find this proposal worthy of your favorable consideration for this grant.

Sincerely,

DICK DICKERSON, Assemblyman
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CC: Steve Richie, CALFED Deputy Director
Dick Daniels, CALFED Program Manager
Mike Warren, Redding City Manager
Kurt Starman, Redding Deputy City Manager